



# In the Realm of Women

—BY PENELOPE—

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

With a view to the special for announcements of the various societies, clubs, etc., of special interest to women, and for publication of items of general interest to the public, a special charge of 10 cents per line is made.

With prices for the prettiest face dress, etc. favor to take home and at the little to 25 cents, and afternoon tea from 2 to 4, also a sale of home cooking on Saturday, March 11, in the vacant store, south-west corner of 10th street and Jasper avenue.

Recreation Committee of the 13th Cavalry Battalion, C.R.F. desire to notify all their friends who have received invitations to the battalion dance on Friday evening of this week, that the dance has unavoidably been postponed.

Mr. James McArthur, of Edmonton, is a guest at the Fort Garry in Winnipeg.

Mr. R. E. Foster and Mrs. F. W. Pyle will have the company of their friends in the last they have sustained by the death of their friend, Mr. Roy Foster, who passed away at his home in Ottawa on Monday last.

Mr. C. A. Roster, 1491 18th avenue, is entertaining at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. James Roster. The guests included Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Howcroft, Mrs. Lockett, Mrs. Mason, and Mrs. Bennett.

Mr. P. de Anconia, formerly Italian consul here, has left for Italy, where he has offered his services to his country.

The Royal Victoria Curling club are challenging the local capital club to a match on Friday for the Haines trophy, which will be played at the Capital Club.

Mr. Thomas Martin, 9207 12th ave., left yesterday for his parents at North Park, Alberta.

On March 16 the students of Edmonton College, 1110, avenue, 12th street, will have a musical and social entertainment, at which the honor of the Lieutenant-Governor will be presented. The elaborate program is a musical and social entertainment, at which the honor of the Lieutenant-Governor will be presented.

The regular meeting of the Alberta Women's Association will be held in the convention hall of the University on Saturday afternoon, March 11th. Members are requested that the business meeting be called for 3 o'clock.

Mrs. C. Edwards, of Medicine Hat, will address the members and teachers of the city at 4 o'clock on "Women in Public Service," after which tea will be served in the hall.

The Dorcas sewing society of the Highlands will meet at the home of Mrs. J. A. McArthur, 1110, avenue, on Thursday, March 9th, at 7 p.m.

STUDENT'S PROGRAM AT WOMEN'S MUSICAL CLUB.

The students' musical program at the Women's Musical Club will be held on Saturday afternoon, March 11th, in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church, 15th street, near Jasper. This will be an open meeting.

The program, which will begin at 7:30 p.m., will consist of a vocal solo by Miss Helen Armstrong (Mrs. J. M. children).

Violin, "Air Valse," Op. 39, No. 6, by Harry Gurevitch (Mr. G. Gardner).

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## HUSBAND'S CONFESSION.

By W. L. Maxwell in "Judge."

Yesterday Mirandy voted.

And so soon as she was through.

That she accused any whiter or adopted traitor.

Since she had indicated.

That she means to start out raiding with a bunch of suffragettes.

Took her half an hour to do it.

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## Annual Meeting of Edmonton Presbyterial W.M.S., of Most Interesting and Helpful Nature

Mrs. Bremner Re-elected President—Many Papers Are Read and Suggestions Are Made For More Effective Work in Future

The second annual meeting of the Edmonton Presbyterial W.M.S. was held in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening.

The morning session opened at ten o'clock with an address by Mrs. Bremner, re-elected president.

After the singing of the hymn, Mrs. A. Gillespie gave a little reading, she emphasized the thought that God's hand is fashioning the pattern of our lives, we must not make mistakes, and do not always understand the relationship between the various parts, but God knows that a beautiful whole is being gradually evolved.

Mrs. Bremner then led in prayer.

The rest of the morning session was devoted entirely to business.

Encouraging Reports.

The reports of the treasurer and of the various societies were most interesting and encouraging. Amounts raised by the various auxiliaries of the Presbyterial during the year 1915 totaled \$1,661.91, and by the mission bands \$1,142.82. The corresponding secretary reported that through the various societies had not the strain of this winter, financial conditions had been kept at a minimum.

The membership of the Presbyterial W.M.S. and the auxiliary societies given by each member during the year 1915 was 122. The number of meetings held was 15, with an average attendance of 235. The secretary, literature, supply, and mission band societies reported that much good work had been accomplished.

Mrs. Martin, then led in prayer.

The afternoon session was opened by a hymn and prayer, after which the reports of the societies were read and approved.

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# Advance Spring Presentation of New Fashions

In MILLINERY, SUITS AND DRESSES FOR WOMEN AND MISSES  
Has Been Arranged to Take Place

## THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

MARCH 9th, 10th and 11th

—Chief interest will be centred in the wealth of Beautiful Original Creations in both Hats and Costumes from the great New York and Eastern Modistes. Larger and more representative and varied collections of imported models than ever before assembled in these salons. There has seldom been a season when woman was presented with more variety or becomingness among the new Spring modes. Indeed, the Spirit of All the Prettiest Fashions, Past and Present, Enters Into these Lovely Costumes you will see here Thursday and following days.

### The Last Word Concerning the New Spring Suits

Is Written For All Who Will Read In This Big Varied Collection

THE flare—that's probably the most important feature of the new tailors. Skirts cleverly cut or gathered or pleated, to give flare. Suit coats most popular are those which flare away smartly from a belted or neatly fitted waistline. Many have big collars which flare quite dashing at the back, and some are equipped with shoulder capes which fall in soft rippling lines that would be flaring were these capes the least bit longer. Flaring pleatums falling in points to give an uneven outline are among the newest smart features.

The materials most in vogue are all wool Gabardines, Poirer Cloth, All Wool Poplin, French Serges, Taffeta Silk and Silk Poplin and fine Worsted. The dressier Suits are made up in Taffeta Silk and Serge combinations and these promise to be a very big feature for Spring.

One particular model suit is made in a three-piece style. It is Taffeta Silk with bands of serge around bottom of skirt and coat; also a wide belt of serge on coat. It has a very exclusive detachable cape of serge to match. This suit can be worn with or without this cape. A most exclusive style, yet suitable for any occasion either formal or informal.

### The Culmination of a Long Endeavor

There's always a good reason for Success—and the basic reason behind the unparalleled success of Hudson's Bay Ready-to-Wear Suits, Coats, Skirts and Gowns is the fact that our garments are what the people want in STYLE, QUALITY, appearance and price!

The great European war has caused a very great shortage of woolen materials and dye stuffs are getting more and more scarce every day. The result is that it has been an exceedingly trying time for our buyers to procure dependable merchandise.

The large mills of Europe from which our usual supply of goods come are now operating on materials for military purposes. This shortage of materials, combined with the fact that it has been almost out of the question to secure styles from Paris, has made it doubly hard.

However, with all these obstacles in our way we have gathered in our show rooms on the second floor one of the finest, if not THE finest, collection of New York Suits, Coats, Gowns and Millinery that were ever gathered under one roof.

Considering the fact that Paris has been practically closed to us from a style standpoint, we must give great credit to the New York designers. They have been put on their mettle and have achieved greater things than they thought was possible. The styles in Suits this Spring are particularly attractive and pleasing to the eye. In fact, it has been some years since styles have been anything to compare with these now shown.

### LOVELY SPRING SILKS

—Special purchase direct of 6000 yards of NATURAL PONGEE SILK OF remarkably even weave and good color.

34 inches wide; value 50c. **39c**

Special, per yard **79c**

35 inches wide; value \$1.00. **79c**

Special, per yard **75c**

—Special value in IVORY HABUTAI SILK of excellent weave. A reliable washing silk.

36 inches wide. Per yard **75c**

—BROCADED PALACE CREPE is just that "something new" for waists and dresses that many ladies are looking for. It is exquisitely soft and will launder perfectly. Per yard **\$1.95**

—Special silk CREPE DE CHENE for waists and lingerie; semi sheer, soft finish, strong weave. 40 inches wide. Ivory and black. Per yard **\$1.50**

—GEORGETTE CREPE of extra fine strong weave—guaranteed elbow proof; in flesh and white only. 10 inches wide. Value \$1.75. Special, yard **\$1.25**

—Hudson's Bay "DOLLAR BLACK DUCHESS," 36 inches wide. Is still without a rival. **\$1.00**  
Per yard

### More Suits of Navy Blue Than Any Other Color

ANTICIPATING the tremendous vogue for navy blue, these Suit Salons are now ready to meet the heavy demands for this most popular shade. Navy blue suits are here in countless variety for occasions calling either for dress or utility types. But, of course, other modish color is also abundantly represented. Rookie Browns, Chastor Chasseur Green, Bay Leaf Greens, Black and White Checks, Black.

### Little Style Touches of Charm and Attractiveness

SUITS with collars of contrasting shade, introducing many new colors peculiarly adapted to the season's styles. Suits with rows of heavy rope stitchings. Special attention paid to interesting colors and patterns in jacket linings. Application of leather on collars and belts. New use of metal links and buckles and ornaments on belts. Those little touches of style that lend individuality to the garments of 1916.

### The Glory of the New Spring Hats in Opening Display

ON Thursday Imported Dress Headgear will be featured. Original New York Models, designed by America's most noted hat designers. They are the masterpieces of these great artists, embodying all those points which have influenced the fashions of the new season.

The close-fitting high hat—the large crowned Louis XVI. sailor—the girlish mushroom and poke designs. So many flower trimmings that Millinery Salons look like a realistic flower garden. Lavish ribbon effects, ribbon loops or bouquets, soaring wings. Colors linked up with the colors prevailing in frocks and suits. You are sure to exclaim over the new Hats you'll see here!

### Advance Clothes News for Men !

—Spring brings shipments of new, smart merchandise and our stock is absolutely complete.—NORFOLK—two and three button sacks—well made and trimmed in a good selection of patterns—from \$12.50 to \$18.00.

—HUDSON'S BAY GARMENTS—tailored by LEISHMAN—crowd our wardrobes. Calling on our Clothing Department is the only way in which we can fully impress upon you the great advantages—EXCLUSIVE STYLE AND PATTERN—and unsurpassed service derived by getting into HUDSON'S BAY CLOTHES!—Every style and model—and a WORLD OF PATTERNS.

Sizes 34 to 45 **\$20.00 to \$35.00**

### Your Hat is Most Important

—GOOD HATS are very essential to every man. They are light in weight—perfectly ventilated and FIT!—Every "BORSALEON" hat has these three outstanding qualities.—Men, we are showing a grand range of Borsalions—in every shade **\$4.00 to \$45.00**

### Spring Toppers

—Three button Grey Cheviot—by front—conservative light weight coats. Some have self collar, while Others are silk faced **\$12.50 to \$27.50**

—Tweed and rubberized; Tweed Raglan and Balmainian wraps—cut perfectly and they FIT!—A dandy combination Spring and rain coat **\$12.50, \$16.50, \$20.00, \$22.50**

—Our Furnishing men have their respective stocks full of New, Fresh lines of Gloves, Hosiery, Shirts, Neckwear, Collars, Underwear, Pyjamas and Nightrobes.

### Boys' and Youths' Department

—BOYS' SUITS are shown in great variety of styles and patterns. NORFOLKS have the preference, and we have an exceedingly complete stock.—Plain three-button double breasted suits, and all have bloomer trousers.—When you purchase one of our Boys' Suits you buy an absolute guarantee of satisfaction **\$5.50 to \$15.00**

—YOUTHS' LONG PANT SUITS in 32-33-34-35.—NORFOLKS in great variety and a few double breasted and single breasted numbers. We are sure to give you a garment suitable for the young ones just going into long pants **\$6.50 to \$18.00**

—When considering a HAT for boys, youths or the juvenile, visit our second floor. **50c to \$2.00**  
Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2

### DRUGS, STATIONERY SOAPS

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound 25c  
Blood Purifier, Reg. 1-10 size 75c  
Beef, Iron and Wine Tonic, 15 oz. bottle 40c  
Aromatic Cascara for children, 3 oz. 25c  
Beecham's Pills, 25c also 40c  
Fruit-cakes, 10c. 25c size for 30c, 2 for 50c  
Chapel's Nerve Food, Reg. 50c size 3 for 1.00  
Dorin's Broomer Balm 50c  
Orange Wood Socks, long, 60c  
Nail Files, two sizes, 10c and 15c

### STATIONERY

Business Envelopes, per M. \$1.15  
School Scrubbers, ruled or unruled, 5c for 100  
Writing Pads, Royal omnibus, linen, Reg. 1.00 Special 2 for 1.50  
Kodak Albums, large size 65c and 80c

### SOAP

Outsoul Toilet, Reg. 25c box; 2 for 25c  
Lilac Toilet Soap, Reg. 25c box; 2 for 25c  
Hot Rose Toilet, Reg. 25c box; 2 for 25c  
Brown Windsor, Reg. 5c; 19 for 25c  
Castile, in small cakes, 3 for 25c  
Outsoul, in large cakes, 3 for 25c

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